



**THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING CORROSION-RESISTANT RARE EARTH  
METAL-BASED PERMANENT MAGNET, CORROSION-RESISTANT RARE  
EARTH METAL-BASED PERMANENT MAGNET, DIP SPIN COATING  
METHOD FOR WORK PIECE, AND METHOD FOR FORMING COATING  
FILM ON WORK PIECE

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: August 21, 2007

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 22, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page two of this paper.

Remarks begin on page eight of this paper.